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Tables on Hatchery and Flock Participation in the
National Poultry Improvement Plan
By States and Divisions, 1962-63 and 1963-64 and
U. S. Summary 1958-59 to date



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HIGHLIGHTS

The number of hatcheries participating in the National Poultry Improvement Plan decreased in 1963-64 while the average hatching egg capacity continued to increase. The total hatching egg capacity of the South Central region showed an increase of over 5 million eggs while the capacity of all other regions decreased.

Breeding birds in participating flocks increased 2.4 percent over 1962-63 to 35.8 million. The South Atlantic and South Central regions both had substantial increases while the other regions showed some decline. The average size of participating flocks in 1963-64 was 1,928 birds, which reflects a 100 percent increase in flock size during the last five years.

The number of birds reacting to the pullorum-typhoid test rose slightly to .006 percent. This represented one reactor in every 18,156 birds tested as compared to one reactor in every 19,623 birds tested in 1962-63.

Over 94 percent of the birds in participating flocks qualified for a breeding classification while 96.3 percent qualified as U. S. Pullorum-Typhoid Clean.

Table 1 - Hatchery Participation in the National Poultry Improvement Plan,
by States and Divisions, 1962-63 and 1963-64

State and Division	1962-63		1963-64	
	Number	Egg Capacity	Number	Egg Capacity
Maine	13	6,686,376	10	6,598,736
New Hampshire	11	2,536,000	9	2,310,000
Vermont	5	102,080	4	102,580
Massachusetts	55	3,494,412	52	3,484,759
Rhode Island	6	438,200	6	509,490
Connecticut	36	8,131,025	31	7,484,255
New York	28	3,815,960	22	3,359,200
New Jersey	36	5,156,630	37	4,995,950
Pennsylvania	69	12,631,536	58	11,440,128
NORTH ATLANTIC	259	42,992,219	229	40,285,098
Ohio	77	9,626,206	73	9,298,156
Indiana	128	18,380,000	112	16,483,000
Illinois	109	13,305,640	101	12,912,138
Michigan	45	4,165,211	38	3,773,443
Wisconsin	28	3,602,660	22	3,417,920
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	387	49,079,717	346	45,884,657
Minnesota	109	10,847,100	107	9,854,000
Iowa	65	9,271,000	55	7,683,720
Missouri	75	17,439,620	80	17,820,759
North Dakota	22	1,888,756	20	1,734,350
South Dakota	33	3,265,560	38	3,930,360
Nebraska	49	5,238,143	48	4,915,005
Kansas	62	4,715,010	47	3,591,940
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	415	52,665,189	395	49,530,134
Delaware	18	10,238,584	18	10,908,154
Maryland	27	16,640,000	26	17,477,520
Virginia	42	12,047,822	35	12,555,120
West Virginia	7	1,290,000	6	1,033,220
North Carolina	93	23,987,726	87	23,592,164
South Carolina	17	3,127,300	15	2,860,300
Georgia	146	46,674,634	132	44,855,998
Florida	37	5,980,628	33	5,912,140
SOUTH ATLANTIC	387	119,986,694	352	119,194,616
Kentucky	24	2,024,800	19	1,487,800
Tennessee	26	3,337,740	24	3,170,340
Alabama	32	11,732,018	30	14,992,592
Mississippi	45	18,971,106	43	19,556,402
Arkansas	44	19,515,524	42	22,261,728
Louisiana	7	1,042,000	8	1,048,000
Oklahoma	25	3,853,560	25	3,863,260
Texas	15	3,046,680	14	2,466,480
SOUTH CENTRAL	218	63,523,428	205	68,846,602
Montana	13	925,800	13	854,060
Idaho	11	714,700	11	872,740
Wyoming	2	95,000	2	95,000
Colorado	8	996,000	7	902,000
New Mexico	1	50,000	1	50,000
Arizona	5	359,000	5	413,000
Utah	9	1,031,000	9	991,000
Washington	23	3,558,516	22	3,596,316
Oregon	19	3,230,000	19	2,997,020
California	19	4,916,000	14	3,988,000
WESTERN	110	15,921,016	103	14,759,136
UNITED STATES	1,776	344,168,263	1,630	338,500,243

Table 2 - Flock Participation in the National Poultry Improvement Plan
by States and Divisions, 1962-63 and 1963-64

State and Division	1962-63			1963-64		
	Flocks	Birds	Avg. Birds per flock	Flocks	Birds	Avg. Birds per flock
Maine	222	1,544,491	6,957	174	1,170,658	6,728
New Hampshire	82	429,039	5,232	73	382,073	5,234
Vermont	62	97,952	1,580	54	78,523	1,454
Massachusetts	141	521,123	3,696	189	441,667	2,337
Rhode Island	34	51,167	1,505	22	39,864	1,812
Connecticut	195	450,052	2,308	172	417,441	2,427
New York	88	354,069	4,024	74	334,006	4,514
New Jersey	113	399,776	3,538	101	406,500	4,025
Pennsylvania	610	1,283,894	2,105	500	1,283,017	2,566
NORTH ATLANTIC	1,547	5,131,563	3,317	1,359	4,553,749	3,351
Ohio	992	570,074	575	784	463,453	591
Indiana	1,970	1,485,202	754	1,694	1,314,997	776
Illinois	1,472	840,443	571	1,432	725,384	507
Michigan	192	209,815	1,093	170	211,193	1,242
Wisconsin	288	216,149	751	208	183,570	883
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	4,914	3,321,683	676	4,288	2,898,597	676
Minnesota	893	982,940	1,101	779	851,723	1,093
Iowa	1,275	806,843	633	862	627,269	728
Missouri	3,079	1,192,717	387	2,728	1,136,279	417
North Dakota	293	87,837	300	243	89,613	369
South Dakota	341	184,315	541	287	171,026	596
Nebraska	496	274,764	554	413	238,993	579
Kansas	515	251,755	489	439	243,837	555
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	6,892	3,781,171	549	5,751	3,358,740	584
Delaware	185	522,528	2,824	189	473,722	2,506
Maryland	184	311,406	1,692	141	357,948	2,539
Virginia	625	1,083,442	1,734	576	1,084,583	1,883
West Virginia	147	49,825	339	110	40,221	366
North Carolina	1,748	4,853,457	2,777	1,684	5,501,107	3,267
South Carolina	123	386,036	3,139	109	351,687	3,226
Georgia	1,067	5,677,513	5,321	1,114	6,104,666	5,480
Florida	71	295,957	4,168	59	292,411	4,956
SOUTH ATLANTIC	4,150	13,180,164	3,176	3,982	14,206,345	3,568
Kentucky	183	72,383	396	144	63,027	438
Tennessee	346	408,939	1,182	263	397,164	1,510
Alabama	463	2,261,191	4,884	505	2,662,214	5,272
Mississippi	445	1,871,329	4,205	456	2,192,055	4,807
Arkansas	768	2,493,856	3,247	847	3,252,423	3,840
Louisiana	75	325,122	4,335	81	375,837	4,640
Oklahoma	347	143,101	412	303	217,398	717
Texas	87	360,962	4,149	35	260,710	7,449
SOUTH CENTRAL	2,714	7,936,883	2,924	2,634	9,420,828	3,577
Montana	48	45,494	948	45	38,111	847
Idaho	47	52,754	1,122	48	51,528	1,074
Wyoming	12	2,293	191	8	1,444	181
Colorado	79	48,453	613	29	18,280	630
New Mexico	---	---	---	---	---	---
Arizona	6	26,890	4,482	6	28,475	4,746
Utah	34	55,220	1,624	26	44,193	1,700
Washington	128	356,332	2,784	135	401,804	2,976
Oregon	188	250,615	1,333	187	241,015	1,289
California	68	746,736	10,981	47	496,158	10,557
WESTERN	610	1,584,787	2,598	531	1,321,008	2,488
UNITED STATES	20,827	34,936,251	1,677	18,545	35,759,267	1,928

